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Sir:

Applicants' attorney respectfully submits that the above-identified patent application was filed with the U.S. Patent Office on May 13, 2005 as Express Mail Label No. EV284564914US. and to date, no filing receipt has been received. Since the above-identified patent application was filed approximately eighteen (18) months ago, Applicants' attorney respectfully requests issuance of a filing receipt including assigning this patent application to the appropriate Group Art Unit and assignment of the application to an Examining Attorney. Applicants' attorney also requests a first action prediction since this application was filed approximately eighteen (18) months ago.

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Applicants' attorney also respectfully requests that the PAIR website be updated with all newly assigned information for this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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